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[marcusa](#)
Member

Join Date: Nov 2004
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1997 SL1

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I've seen countless posts where the owner by misfortune or the other has a locked radio and aside from calling the dealer there seems to be no other solution...until now. Without further ado...
Stop letting the GM dealers charge you \$50-\$60 or more to do this procedure that a five year old could do in less than five minutes! Here you go:

1. Press and hold presets 2 and 3 for about 5 to 10 seconds until you get 3 digits on your display. This is the first 3 of 6 digits you will need, so write 'em down.
2. After doing step one and writing down the code, immediately press the AM/FM button to get the last 3 of the 6 numbers you'll need, and write 'em down. (if you wait too long between steps 1 and 2 and the LOC code displays again, just start over).
3. Call this number, it's a prerecorded message, so don't worry about having to talk to anyone...1-800-537-5140. The voice will ask if you're calling for Chevy, Pontiac, Cadillac, etc... When you here, press the number of your choice, followed by 02107 and hit the # key. He'll ask you for the 6 digit code that you've written down. Enter that and press the * key. He will then give you a code, and the option to get additional 4 digit codes, but one should be sufficient.
4. Follow the normal procedure in your owners manual for unlocking the radio with your new code...press the hour set button on your radio until you get the first two numbers of the code, then press the minute set button until you've entered the last two numbers. Immediately press the AM/FM button once the correct code is entered and the code SEC or "secured" will be displayed on the display screen. Now, just turn the radio on, and your ready to roll.

To give due credit, I stole this from Jeremy in the [W-Body](#) message board.

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02-22-2007, 10:29 AM

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[traberlee](#)
New Member

Re: Unlock Your Radio

Join Date: Feb 2007 Posts: 6	Hi, I just bought a used saturn SC1 2001 and I've tried this a million times and the screen never gives me the radio code when I hold down the 2&3 buttons or with 1&4. My screen actually says 'LOCK' instead of LOC. I've called the local saturn dealership and they keep transferring me around and are not helpful. I've called the Saturn main line and they say to go a dealership. Any ideas? I'd really appreciate it!! thanks! REWARD EXCELLENCE!  Rate the quality of this post and help <i>traberlee</i> reputation points. Click the reputation button near the bottom left corner of this message box. Thank you!
01-15-2008, 07:05 AM jHUDSON1977 New Member Join Date: Dec 2006 Location: Stacy, MN Posts: 3 2001 SL1 1998 SL2	Re: Unlock Your Radio Hi, I have an SL1 and none of those worked for me either. Try holding down 1 and 2. I did that and it gave me some kind of code. The number I called and the resulting code that I received have yet to work for me though. I don't know what is up. Maybe you'll have better luck though. REWARD EXCELLENCE!  Rate the quality of this post and help <i>jHUDSON1977</i> reputation points. Click the reputation button near the bottom left corner of this message box. Thank you!
04-21-2008, 11:47 AM r0ro New Member Join Date: Apr 2008 Posts: 3	Re: Unlock Your Radio Hi I just tried to call 1-800-537-5140 but it wasn't answering. does anyone knows how to get the unloc code for my 97 saturn sc2 ? The scrambled code I have is 8035 REWARD EXCELLENCE!  Rate the quality of this post and help <i>r0ro</i> reputation points. Click the reputation button near the bottom left corner of this message box. Thank you!
04-21-2008, 11:50 AM onefunkar Master Member Join Date: Nov 2007 Posts: 3,504 2008 Outlook XR 2007 AURA XR	Re: Unlock Your Radio if anybody could do this doesnt it defeat the purpose of the anti theft feature/ the person who stole the radio could do the same thing or am i missing something. REWARD EXCELLENCE!  Rate the quality of this post and help <i>onefunkar</i> reputation points. Click the reputation button near the bottom left corner of this message box. Thank you!
04-30-2008, 12:28 AM r0ro New Member Join Date: Apr 2008 Posts: 3	Re: Unlock Your Radio Ok this is working again, the server must had experienced some problems REWARD EXCELLENCE!  Rate the quality of this post and help <i>r0ro</i> reputation points. Click the reputation button near the bottom left corner of this message box. Thank you!
11-17-2018, 03:10 PM Originalpolo Junior Member Join Date: Nov 2016 Location: San Diego Posts: 10	Re: Unlock Your Radio Just wanted to add to this post since I've experienced this twice this year with my 2001 SL2. I tried all the advice given here, called both numbers, the automated one plus the live one, went to the dealer which actually gave me the same unlock code as the automated number did (my code was 5555, unlock code given was 5967) Long story short, I ended needing to disconnect my positive battery cable momentarily for a quick repair and after reconnecting it BAM, what do ya know, the radio came right on! So for anyone that did all the work to get your unlock code and it still didnt work, try disconnecting one of your battery cables for a few seconds and see if that helps. Worked for me! REWARD EXCELLENCE!

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